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SERVIANS AT BAY MAY DIE ON SPOT

Main Army Reported Cut Off South of Nish and Unable to Escape

SILENCE IS OMINOUS

No News For Five Days From Force That is Reeling Under Terrific German Assaults.

Milan, Nov. 13.— There is grave reason to fear that the main body of the Servian army which has been fighting the Germans' and the Bulgarians' right wing has been cut off between Kralievo and Nish, says a dispatch received here from the Secolo's correspondent.

It is possible, the dispatches say, that, as the southern Servian army is holding at Katchanik, the retreating columns may escape the tentacles of the invaders, but it is considered significant that no news has been received from the retreating Servian army for five days.

An agreement was reached at a meeting of the Italian Cabinet regarding the course Italy should take in the Balkan expedition. The Ministers recognized it was an urgent question, the dispatch adds, and the number of men Italy will send to the Balkans shortly will be made known.

Saloniki, Nov. 13.—Five thousand Servians still are holding 15,000 Bulgarians at bay between Isvor and Abdi Pasha Hahn, in the Babuna defile, but the Serbs, now control the heights of Kosjac, and occupy the whole line of mountains, making, in the opinion of military men here, the withdrawal of the Bulgarians only a question of time.

The people who left Monastir in a panic at the approach of the invaders are now returning, Prilep and Monastir, are resuming their normal appearance.

Suffering in the interior of Servia is said to be great, owing to the lack of food and shelter. Thousands of refugees from the north have been driven out by the advancing Austro-Germans.

There is nothing to report on the Entente allied front, the right wing of which has been reinforced by fresh British troops. The reported rising of the Albanians against the Servians is discredited in well-informed circles.

MADE INROADS ON FUNDS.

Auditor Will Pay Commissioners and Examiners for Work Done This Year.

Richmond, Nov. 13.—Local boards of review have consumed considerable of the $117,000 appropriated by the General Assembly for the payment of the fees of commissioners of the revenue and examiners of records.

Under the laws of the State these men—and there are 357 of them in the State—can receive $2 a day for each day or part of day they are in session. They are limited to thirty days in any one year. Some of them have held sessions, which have not fallen far short of the limit.

In this way, were all the local boards so serve the allotted time, they would consume some $21,,420 of the money which the Legislature, 1914 appropriated for other purposes.

The State set aside $117,000 for the expenses of assessing the property of the State by the commissioners of the revenue and the work of the examiners of records. The auditor has paid the expense of the local boards of review from this fund, as directed by law.

There is not now enough money on hand with which to pay the claims of the commissioners and the examiners of record, Under the decision of the Attorney General the State must pay them for the work they have actually done.

The Auditor will have to meet the payments, and it is understood that he will do so, and the sum will have to come from any unappropriated funds in the State treasury.

Oyster Season open, Rammel Cafe.

BODIES SENT TO RICHMOND

"Another Woman" Figures in Dual Tragedy in New York.

New York. Nov. 13—The parents of Mrs. Rosalie Ruppert, the beautiful woman whose fierce and violent jealousy of her husband caused him to kill her and commit suicide at hotel McAlpin Thursday afternoon arranged yesterday for the transportation of both bodies to Richmond for burial.

The coroner and the police, after reading Ruppert's diary, were satisfied that the trip of reconciliation after months of quareling and seapration had grown into a continuous succession of wild fits of savage outbreaks by the woman followed by just as wild reactions of tender affection. Ruppert's body was covered with black and blue marks and scratches.

A statement made that H. C. Ruppert and a woman registered at the Hotel York and remained there on November 6, 7, and 8, the three days that Ruppert records in his diary that he spent at Trenton, N. J., adds another complication to the tragedy.

It was said that early in the morning of November 6 a man came to the Hotel York with a woman and registered as "H. C. Ruppert and wife, Richmond, Va." The couple remained in their room most of the time and left the hotel on the morning of November 8.

It was stated that the woman who was with Ruppert when he registered at the Hotel York weighed about 137 pounds and was of light complexion.

On all of these dates Ruppert records in his diary that he was at Trenton. On November 6 he wrote that he "sent Rosalie some sheet music." On November 7 he wrote that he went to church in Trenton, and on November 8 that he "got letter from Miss S., with one in it it from Rosalie and Jessie."

These apparent discrepancies are being investigated by the police.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 13—Henry C. Ruppert's tragic act followed a series of quarrels with his wife concerning another woman, according to information obtained here.

Before Ruppert sold out his effects here his wife took him to Chief of Police Werner after her knowledge of the other woman in the case. Ruppert then vowed, it is alleged, that he would do right by his wife, and admitted he had done wrong.

Werner thought he had effected a reconciliation and allowed the two to depart. Mrs. Ruppert turned over to her mother, who is mentioned as "Miss S." instead of "Mrs. S." in the diary a letter in connection with the other woman in the case.

Mrs, Salton declined to divulge the contents of the letter or give the name of the other woman.

"Miss Jessie" is the murdered woman's sister.

MAY FORM PARTNERSHIP.

Supreme Court So Decides in Case Involving News-Record, of Harrisonburg.

Richmond, Nov. 13.—In an opinion handed down by Judge Joseph L. Kelly, in the State Supreme Court of Appeals, Thursday, former Senator George B. Keezell, of Rockingham, and H. W. Bertram, win an important victory in the controversy over the control of the only daily publication in Harrisonburg. A receiver appointed on the application of Keezell and Bertram, will take charge of the property.

The opinion is far-reaching in its effect as a legal proposition, upholding the right to two corporations to form a partnership, provided thaey are authorized so to do in their charters; and sustains the action of the State Corporation Commission in granting amendments to the charters, which permit a partnership. This is the first time the Supreme Court has passed on these specific points.

From a political standpoint, the opinion is against the faction in Rockingham, opposed to the county organization, which is controlled by friends of Senator Keezell and which won out in the recent election. The control of the newspaper, the Daily News-Record, is taken from R. B. Smythe, business manager, and W. J. Showalter, editor, and placed in the hands of The Peoples' Bank of Harrisonburg, the receiver, appointed by Judge Richard S. Ker, of the Corporation Court of Staunton, sitting in the Circuit Court of Rockingham.

Salt Water Oysters At The Rammel Cafe.

WANTONLY SUNK, SAYS CAPTAIN

Reports Ancona Stopped at First Shot, But Sub Fired Shells

RIDDLE FIRST BOATS

Alleged Many of Passengers Killed as Guns of Diver Raked Life Craft in the Water.

Naples, Nov. 13.—The owners of the Italian liner Ancona, sunk in the Mediterranean by a submarine, have received the report of the Ancona's captain, in which he makes the positive charge that the submarine gave no warning to the liner, or afforded those on board any chance to escape.

The first shot, the captain's report declares,was fired when the submarine was three miles distant. The captain immediately stopped the ship, he says but this did not appear to satisfy the commander of the submarine, which continued to shell the liner.

The captain without delay, ordered everybody to take to the boats, upon which, he declares, the submarine turned all her guns, killing and wounding many persons, both in the boats and on the deck of the steamer. Some of the passengers who were thrown into the water and sought to save themselves by clutching the sides of the submarine were pushed away with jeers and insults, he asserts.

Rome, Nov. 13.— United States Ambassador Page, called at the Foreign Office yesterday and had a long talk with Baron Sonnino. The nature of the conference is unknown, but it is assumed the sinking of the Ancona was discussed informally. The Italian Government has ordered a rigid investigation of the disaster. The inquiry is proceeding under the direction of the Italian Consul at Tunis, assisted by Italian naval officers.

A special effort is made to determine all the facts relating to international responsibility, whether warning was given and whether an opportunity was afforded the passengers to escape. It is expected here this investigation will have a bearing on any diplomatic representations the United States may make in behalf of American passengers on board the steamer.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—The Ancona case as yet belongs tothe category of submarine incidents regarding which German naval circles have no news except that which comes from hostile sources. Even the semi-official announcement, that the Ancona was sunk while trying to escape, was derived from accounts sent out by the Havas and Stefani news agencies.

Nothing has been published here from the Austrian side, and it was stated at the Admiralty that, so far as known, the Austrian Government has received no report of the incident.

Discussing the case, the Berlin newspapers point out that, according to the already published reliable information, the vessel, after receiving a warning rfom the submarine tried to escape, and that the submarine, therefore, was fully justified in using force.

The newspapers further assert that all the news from foreign sources agree that the submarine flew the Austro-Hungarian flag. They affirm that it was not a German boat, since no warship would fly other than its right flag at the moment of action.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

The property advertised to be sold today was withdrawn.

The George Washington Park Association has sold to J. Ellis Norris lots 16 and 17 in block 3 of that enclosure.

In the corporation court yesterday a final decree was entered in the suit of Duff G. Lewis, against William Lewis, approving the settlement of the estate of the late M. M. Lewis.

In a hard fought game yesterday afternoon in the new high school lot the Alexandria High School second team gave way before the Gonzaga High School reserves of Washington, the score being 12 to 6, the winning touchdown being made on a long run by Blake, Gonzaga right half.

Three of the little wonders—The Maxwell 1916 touring cars, delivered this week. They can be seen and inspected at the Central Automobile Co., Inc.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Glenn Gumm, 7 years old, son of H. M. Gumm, of Norfolk, was run over by a street car yesterday, and had both legs mangled below the knee.

The first annual session of the Provincial Synods of Washington, Protestant Episcopal Church, will be held in Richmond, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week, with Bishop John Gardner Murray, of Maryland, presiding.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad station at Vancluse, 10 miles south of Winchester, was entered by yeggmen early yesterday morning and the iron safe blown open with nitroglycerin. In the same building are located the postoffice and the general store conducted by J. E. Cadwallader, the postmaster and station agent. The postoffice records were kept in the safe. The burglars carried off about $100 worth of stamps and a small amount of money.

At the meeting held in Staunton, Thursday of the General Hospital Board of the State the resignation of Dr. J. C. King, superintendent of the Southwestern State Hospital at Marion, was tendered and accepted, Dr. King leaves the service of the State to found a sanatorium. The board then appointed Dr. E. H. Henderson, who has been first assistant to Dr. King, to fill the vacancy. The board made a thorough inspection of the Western State Hospital, of which Dr. De Jarnette is superintendent, and found everything satisfactory. There are 1,200 people in the hospital located at Staunton.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals held in Richmond yesterday that the executors of J. D. Leary were entitled to $40,000 worth of securities which have been in litigation growing out of the celebrated Gaynor-Greene-Carter Savannah harbor graft scandal. Leary became a bondsman for Gaynor in the sum of $40,000 and Gaynor let Leary hold securities worth $40,000. The United States contended the securities belonged to the Government because they were bought with money rightfully belonging to the United States. A lower court sustained the Government, but yesterday decision reversed it and would restore the securities to Leary's family, The case probably will be appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States.

Notice to State Taxpayers—I am now prepared to receive the State taxes for the year 1915. The attention of taxpayers is respectfully called to the importance of paying the same prior to December 1, 1915, as on that date a penalty of five per cent. will be added to all unpaid bills and their collection enforced as required by law.

THOS. W. ROBINSON,
12-ed-td. City Treasurer.

Having qualified as Executor of the last will of Martha A. Wheatley, deceased, all persons indebted to the said estate are required promptly to settle their accounts with the undersigned, and all persons having claims against the estate will present them at once, duly authenticated, for settlement.

BENEDICT S. WHEATLEY,
Executor of Martha A. Wheatley, deceased. 6-10t.

DEBT CONFERENCE ON NOVEMBER 23

Will Hold Joint Meeting of Virginia and West Virginia Commission

EXPECT W. VA. TO PAY

Sentiment in That State, it is Said, Favors Full and Speedy Settlement of Claim.

Richmond, Nov. 13.—Judge William F. Rhea, of the State Corporation Commission, yesterday demonstrated his capacity for expediting business by dividing his business hours between Richmond and Washington.

Judge Rhea left here yesterday mornin after starting the wheels running in his office in the Capitol, attended a joint meeting of the Virginia and West Virginia Debt Commission at the national capital and was back at his desk in Richmond early in the afternoon.

The members of the Virginia Debt Commission were invited to meet the West Virginia Commission in Washington and arrange the time and place for a conference on the settlement to be made by West Virginia. All of the members of the Virginia Commission except Congressman Hal Flood were present—Chairman H. H. Downing, of Front Royal; Secretary Joseph Button; Judge Rhea, Henry T. Wickham, Randolph Harrison, Judge J. Thompson Brown, and D. H. Pitts.

It is understood that the Virginians readily consented to the conference, and that it will be called to take place in Washington, November 23.

W. Frank Smyth, State Accountant, who recently returned fro the western part of the State, said yesterday he had met prominent West Virginians in Wytheville and at other points who assured him that popular sentiment in West Virginia is in favor of a full and speedy settlement of the debt.

"West Virginia will pay her share. No coercion is necessary. We appreciate our obligation and we are willing to meet it," one of these men told Mr. Smyth. "We will pay every dollar as soon as we can get rid of the scalaway element that has dominated the politics of West Virginia for years, and we are fast weeding out the scalaways now," he added.

CHARTERS ISSUED

A charter was issued by the State Corporation Commission yesterday to the Crandall Lock Company, Inc., Alexandria, Maximum, 2$5,000; minimum, $5,000; par value, $100; manufacturing and dealing in locks. etc. Emery P. Crandall, president, Washington; George E. Ayton, secretary, Washington.

Supplement certificate of incorporation to the Potomac Country Club, Inc., Alexandria, reducing maximum capital stock $300,000 to $15.000; increasing par value $5 to $100.

The Providence R. I., Journal renews its charges that the Austro-Hungarian Embassy in Washington is directing the work of spies in the United States. It will also present further evidence in support of the statemen tof Dr. Josef Goricar ,a former official in the Austrian consulate in New York, that German and Austrian agents working in this country had spent between $30,000,000 and $40,000,000 in an effort to destroy munition plants and otherwise prevent the exportation of war materials to the allies.

Allen's Prices for Saturday, November 13th.

White Potatoes, peck	20c
Sweet Potatoes, peck	20c
Onions, 1-4 peck, 10c; peck	35c
Wine Sap Apples, 1-4 peck	8c
Grimes' Golden, 1-4 peck,	10c
Toka Grapes, 10c lb.; 3 lbs.	25c
Lima Beans, qt.	14c
B. E. Peas, (dried) qt.	10c
Guaranteed Eggs, doz.	28c

We'll put the sell in Celery this week.
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MILLIONS GO TO DAUGHTER

Said to be Sole Heir to Post Despite Cereal King's Carefully Prepared Will.

Battle Creek, Mich., Nov. 13. — Startling complications involving the Post estate of $33,000,000 developed yesterday when it became known the entire fortune of the late C. W. Post, would go to his daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Close, regardless of the carefully prepared will of the food king.

In a suit against the Post estate started by the State of Michigan to collect inheritance tax it was brought out that several years ago Post went through the bankrupt court and in the testimony given at the time Post stated that the Postum Cereal Company was founded and built up from a fund of $750 which had been saved up by the first Mrs. Post and placed to the credit of their daughter, Marjorie.

Mr. Post also stated that the company was the property of Marjorie and that he, C. W. Post, was her agent This had never been contradicted, according to the records, and Mrs. Close will become the sole owner of the Postum Cereal Company.

It is understood Mrs. Close will ask for all money due her, and aside from a small share which was given outright to the present Mrs. Post, during the life of the deceased, the latter will be denied the immense fortune which she was supposed to have inherited. The present Mrs. Post was a second wife and a very beautiful young woman.

CLOSE TO TEHERAN

Russians Report That the Germans Austrians and Turks are Preparing to Leave.

Petrograd, Nov. 13—According to latest advices received in Teheran, Persia, according to a dispatch from that city, a Russian force is within 45 miles of Teheran, and indications are that the Germans, Austrians and Turks in the city are preparing to leave, removal of the archives of the German and Austrian legations to the American legation for instance, being in progress.

At a secret session of parliament, the dispatches states, a majority of the deputies expressed the hope that an amicable arrangement of the difficulties between Russia and Persia would be reached. The cabinet ministers had ben in session for 24 hours, it is added, trying to formulate conditions acceptable to Russia and Great Britain.

Much excitement is reported in the city, according to the despatch, over the energetic action of the Entente Allies, and it reported that the Shah will retire to Ispahan in event the Persian proposals are not acceptable.

MIKADO HONORS CHRISTIANS.

Four Decorated in Connection With Coronation Celebration.

Kioto, Nov. 13.—American missionaries here have called attention to the fact that among the persons decorated by the Emperor in honor of his coronation are several Japanese Christians,including Soroku Ehere,a prominent educator; Tasuke Harada, editor of the Christian World; Sakunoshin Motoda, head master of St. Paul's College, at Tokio, all of whom were educated in the United States, and one woman, Kajiko Yajimi, president of the Japanese Christian Women's Temperance Society. All were decorated with the order of the Sacred Treasure.

Diplomatic envoys, foreigners and Japanese, witnessed yesterday a picturesque historical pageant of old Japan begining with the eighth century.

WHISKEY SHIPPED IN COFFIN.

General Manager and Three Employes of Casket Company Indicted.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 13.— A Federal grand jury yesterday returned indictments against T. C. Betterton, Police Commissioner of Chattanooga, and general manager of the Tennessee Coffin and Casket Company on the charge of conspiracy to defraud the Government and shipping liquor without proper branding.

C. L. Mylus, Frank Fox, and G. Smith, employes of Betterton's coffin company, were jointly indicted with the Commissioner.

These shipments grew out of the shipment of various quantities of whiskey concealed in coffins, sent out from Betterton's factory.

FATHER O'FARRELL HONORED BY POPE

Rector of Cathedral Parish Made Domestic Prelate and Monsignor

IS BELOVED IN STATE

Bishop O'Connell Receives Brief From Pope Benedict Announcing Award of Purple.

Richmond, Nov. 13—A brief received by Bishop O'Connell from Pope Benedict, under date of October 16, announces the elevation of Very Rev. James T. O'Farrell, vicar-general of the diocese, to the dignity of domestic prelate of the, papal household, with the rank of monsignor. The title also carries with it the prefix right reverend, making the full title of the receipient hereafter Right Rev. Monsignor James T. O'Farrell. The office implies the right of wearing the purple, also of taking precedence over all priests at church ceremonies, whether within the diocese or even in the city of Rome.

Although Father o'Farrell's title is now that of monsignor, the ceremony of investment in the Cathedral with the insignia of his new office will not take place until a later date.

Whilst several Virginia priests have been elevated to the higher office of bishop, there have been only two in the history of the diocese who have been made domestic prelates with the rank of monsignor the post of honor next to that of bishop. Monsignor O'Farrell is the second to receive that honor, the first being the present Bishop of Richmond himself, who in 1887 was created by Pope Leo XIII. a member of the papal household, with the title of monsignor, whilst he served as rector of the American College in Rome. He came in 1903, whilst yet a domestic prelate, to take charge of the Catholic University at Washington. Monsignor O'Connell was raised to the highest rank of bishop May 3, 1908.

The purple is sometimes conferred by a Pope on some ecclesiastic within a diocese other than the bishop of the see, upon the express petition of the bishop himself, providing the supreme Pontiff finds the candidate in every sense worthy of so high an honor. The action of Bishop O'Connell in obtaining the new dignity for Monsignor O'Farrell will, no doubt, meet with the approval, not only of the Catholic of the diocese, but also of many non-Catholics, who hold the new monsignor in high esteem. The priests of the diocese will doubtless feel honored in the elevation of one of their number to the rank of prelate of the papal household.

Monsignor O'Farrell was born at Harpers Ferry, and studied at St. Charles College, Elliott City, Md., and at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, being ordained in the cathedral of the latter city. His first missions were Staunton and Fredericksburg, after which he labored with singular success for more than twenty-five years as pastor at Petersburg, being beloved there, as elsewhere, by people of all classes and creeds. He constructed in Petersburg one of the most beautiful churches within the diocese.

Made vicar-general in 1913, and on the death of the lamented Rev. J. B. O'Reilly, pastor of the Sacred Heart Cathedral, both of which posts he still with great credit fills, he has become closely identified with affairs in the capital city.

Father O'Farrell is said to be one of the most popular priest who ever labored in Virginia, being well known and beloved even outside the State, especially in Baltimore and Washington, where some of the most prominent ecclesiastics are reported to be his close friends. A forthcoming annbuncement as to the exact date of the impressive ceremony of conferring the purple on Monsignor O'Farrell by Bishop O'Connell is shortly expected.

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FIRE ON QUEEN STREET

Two Frame Buildings Badly Damaged and Business Section Threatened.

Only the prompt action of the Alexandria fire department prevented a serious blaze in the center of the wholesale and manufacturing district early this morning. Shortly before one o'clock flames were discovered poring out of the three story frame residence at 213 Queen street, owned by Mrs. Rosie Moore, but unoccupied. In a few seconds the adjoining residence at 215 Queen had become ignited and when the firemen arrived the five frame dwellings between the fire and the corner of Lee street were threatened. A stiff wind was blowing at the time and the sparks were carried over the fertilizer sheds of the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Co. and into the lumber yards of Henry K. Field and Co, and W. A. Smoot and Co.

All of the department's apparatus was called out and the fire was confined to the two residences. They were completely gutted and the loss is estimated at $2,000, covered partially by insurance.

Both residences were unoccupied and thefire is believed to be of incendiary origin.

UNION SERVICES CLOSE

Rev. Dr. W. F. Watson, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Delivers Sermon.

The union services which have been held in the First Baptist Church for the last four weeks closed last night with a sermon by Rev. Dr. W. F. Watson, pastor of the church. He took as his text the words Jesus uttered to the man of Gadara "He turneth thine house, and thou hath givest things God hath done unto thee."

He said the man of Gadara possessed of demons is a forceful type of man bound by sin. Jesus liberated him and out of gratitude he desired to be with the Lord, but his mission was to tell his loved onec what great things the Master had done for him. The meetings have been very helpful to the city, many confessed faith in Christ and Christians were quickened in their spiritual life. The pastors all spoke in feeling terms of the privilege and pleasure afforded in the union services.

DU PONT MILL BLOWN UP

Explosion At Wilmington Plant Occurred During Change in Shifts

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 13—With a report which was heard 20 miles distant, a rolling mill in the Hagley yard of the Brandywine plant of the Du Pont Powder Company exploded at 8:40 o'clock last night but no one was injured.

The explosion occurred just five minutes before the change in shifts, and consequently no one was in or near the mill, which was wrecked. Houses nearby were shaken on their foundations and windows shattered.

The cause of the explosion is not known. Following the report, some of the officials of the company rushed to the plant in their automobiles and took personal charge of the investigation.

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BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Organization Will Meet at Clarendon, Alexandria County, Next Week.

The Virginia Baptist Association which meets with Clarendon Church, Alexandria County, beginning next Tuesday and which will continue until the following Tuesday, will bring together a large assemblage of Virginia Baptists. It will be an interesting event, especially to many of that persuasion in Alexandria, as there are two Baptist churches here at present both of which are in flourishing condition. Preparations have been going on for weeks to provide accomodations for their comfort during their stay. The committee in charge, with Aspon Jones as chairman, has been thorough in its work and no disappointment to the county's guests is anticipated.

The tentative program recently made public begins with the annual sermon by Rev. R. B Garrett, at 8 p. m. November 18. The address of welcome will be given by Rev. H L. Swain, pastor of the Clarendon Church and response by Rev. John F. Vines. The fraternal delegate from Washington, Rev. B. D. Gaw of West Washington Church, will also speak that evening.

On Saturday the visitors are to see Washington in the afternoon.

A mass meeting will be held at 3 p. m Sunday afternoon with an address by Secretary Daniels of the Navy Department, Rev. H. W. Battle, presiding. Sunday night there will be a layman's mass meeting with State President L. Lankford presiding and an address to be supplied. Some are hoping President Wilson may make the address.

NEW PICTURES COMING

Paramount Films to be Seen at The Richmond Theatre.

Arrangements have been completed by the management of the Richmond Theatre whereby the entire output of the Paramount Pictures Corporation will be presented at that theatre. This announcement will be met with the hearty approval of the many people of Alexandria, who have had to go to Washington in the past to see the photoplays which are placed upon the market by this distributing concern.

The Paramount Pictures Corporation is a distributor of clean photoplays. The producing companies whose films constitute the major portion of the Paramount Program are the Famous Players Film Company, the oldest feature picture making concern in this country with which are associated the interest of the late Charles Frohman, his brother Daniel, and Henry W. Savage: The Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play Company in which David Belasco is interested; the Oliver Morosco Photoplay Company, sponsored by the Pacific coast manager whose name it bears, and Pallas Pictures Inc., in whose productions such stars as Dustin Farnum and Maclyn Arbuckle appear.

Mary Pickford, Marguerite Clark, Pauline Frederick, Marie Doro. John Barrymore and many others appear in the Famous Players Films.

The first production of the Paramount program will be on Monday when Robert Edeson will be seen in "Where The Trail Divides," which will be followed on Tuesday by "Wildflower" with Marguerite Clark in the title role.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexaxandria—Happenings In Society.

The Alexandria Assembly gave the second dance of the season last evening in the Elks' Auditorium, the following being among those present: Mr. and Mrs. Emmett C. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leadbeater, Mr. and Mrs. John Leadbeater, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald Douglas, Dr. and Mrs. Stewart Jamieson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Wattles, Mr. and Mrs. C. William Wattles, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, Miss Hollohand, Miss Phillippa Wattles, Miss Rose MasDonald, Miss Katherine Waller, Miss Mary Snowden, Dr. Vivian P. Berry, Mr George Evans, and Mr. Robley D. Brumback.

Mrs. J. C. Gillroy has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCuen, of Manassas, Va.

MAJOR PULLMAN WILL SPEAK

As previously announced Major Raymond Pullman, of the Washington police department will address the young men of Alexandria at the Young People's building tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock Major Pullman is a former Alexandrian and this is the first time that he has made an address here since he was appointed as head of the police department of the District of Columbia. All men are welcome.

DIED FROM HIS INJURIES

William Taylor, a colored man, 45 years old, who was struck by an automobile on October 30th, while walking on the road near Del Ray, died at the Alexandria Hospital this morning. The man's back was broken and he suffered other internal injuries. His remains were removed to Wheatley's undertaking establishment where an inquest will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock by Dr. R. J. Yates, coronor of Alexandria County.

CELEBRATION AT ST. PAUL'S

In addition to the soloists previously announced for the services at St. Paul's Church tomorrow morning and evening in connection with the celebration oft he 25th anniversary of S. B. Fowler, oranist and choirmaster the following well known vocalists are on the program; Messrs. Ogden, Wirt, Franklin, and Witman; Mrs. Downham, and Mrs. Whitman and Miss Schippert.

EAGLES MEET TONIGHT.

Members of Alva Aerie, No. 871, Fraternal Order of Eagles will meet tonight in their hall to take action on the death of J. S. Simmons, a member of the order who died yesterday. Mr. Simmons' funeral will take palce from his late residence, 501 Cameron street, at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. He was 47 years old.

NOTICE

To the members of Alva Aerie, No. 871, Fraternal Order of Eagles:-

You are requested to meet at the Eagles home Saturday evening, November 13, at 8 o'clock, to take action on the death of our beloved brother J. Samuel Simmons. All members are requested to assemble tomorrow (Sunday, November 14) at 2:30 p. m. to attend the funeral.

By request of the Worthy President.
J. H. WEST,
Worthy Secretary

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THE PROPHET EZEKIEL.

The triangular dispute now going on between President Wilson, ex-President Roosevelt and ex-Secretary Bryan concerning the application of the prophecy of Ezekiel to present conditions in the United States has directed attention to a book in the sacred canon soldom read. The verses quoted by the President and the former President are about the only portions of the book ever selected as the bases of sermons, while the bulk of the oracle is as the Sphinx of Egypt.

But few attempts to understand what has been written concerning conditions in the latter days have been made.

Ezekiel was one of the prophets of the captivity, when the Hebrews were being held in Babylon. Solomon's Temple had been destroyed, three incursions having been made into the land by Nebuchadnezzar and the city of Jerusalem sacked.

The study of the book will prove as profitable to Christians as to the world at large, and now that it is receiving so much attention it will doubtless be read as it never has been before.

Psalm CXXXVII. describes the conditions of the Hebrews at that time.

Ezekiel was the prophet who drew forecasts of a coming and a glorious epoch yet in the future—when the Messianic age shall be established after the tribes of Is rael shall have again been gathered. The latter portions of the book are especially thrilling—the prophet's vision in the valley of dry bones, the battle of Armageddon, when it will require six months to bury the dead, the building of a new and grander temple than that of Solomon closing with the comforting words, Jehovah Shammah—(the Lord is there)—referring doubtless to the Divine Shekinah which, shone in the Holy of Holies at first, but which never reappeared in subsequent temples after the captivity.

The Richmond Times-Dispatch in speaking of Mr. Bryan's observations says:

We assume that Mr. Bryan is as well posted on the Bible as the President, and more so than most laymen. It will be a strange thing if Mr. Bryan dosen't direct the attention of the country to the closing verses of the chapter quoted by the President. The reading is: "And lo! thou art unto them as a very lovely song of one that hath a pleasant voice and can play well on an instrument; for they hear thy words, but they do them not. And when this cometh to pass (lo' it will come), then shall they know that a prophet hath been among them."

WAS DARWIN A BELIEVER?

Americans who have visited the West Kensington Musem in London will remember the heroic marble statue of Charles Darwin which stands upon a landing on a tsairway Probably most of those who have studied the figure have thought of the Darwinian theory, it being generally supposed that the great scientist believed the human race sprang from the simian species, and that we are an eovlution from apes, otangs-outangs, chimpanzees, baboons, gibbons and monkeys. It is no more than proper to state that Darwin entertained no such notion. Unfortunately on one occasion he propounded the query. Is the human race an evolution? From that day to this the Darwinian theory has been heard over the habitable globe.

Lady Hope in the Watchman-Examiner says. I was asked to go in and sit with the wellknown professor, Charles Darwin. He was almost bedridden for some months before he died.

Propped uy pillows, he was gazing out on a far-stretching scene of woods and cornfields. His noble forehead and fine features seemed to be lit up with pleasure as I entered the room.

He waved his hand toward the window as he pointed out the scene beyond, while in the other hand he held an open Bible, which he was always studying.

"What are [illegible] now?" I asked, as I seated myself by his bedside.

"Hebrew!" he answered—"still Hebrews. 'The Royal Book,' I call it. isn't it grand?"

Then, placing his finger on certain passages, he commented on them.

I made some allusion to the strong opinions expressed by many persons on the history of th ecreation, its grandeur, and then their treatment of the earlier chapters of the Book of Genesis.

He seemed greatly distressed, his fingers twitched nervously, and a look of agony came over his face as he said:

"I was a young man with unformed ideas. I threw out queries, suggestions, wondering all the time over everything; and to my astonishment the ideas took like wildfire. People made a religion of them."

Then he paused, and after a few more sentences on "the holiness of God" and the Bible which he was holding tenderly all the time, he suddenly said:

"I have a summer house in the garden, which holds about thirty people. It is over there," pointing through the open window. "I want you very much to speak there. I know you read the Bible in the villages. To-morrow afternoon I should like the servants on the place, some tenants and a few of the neighbors to gather there. will you speak to them?"

"What shall I speak about?" I asked.

"Christ Jesus!" he replied in a clear, emphatic voice, adding in a lower tone, "and His Salvation. Is not that the best theme?"

WORKING FOR PEACE.

David S. Jordan, president of Leland Stafford University and head of the International Peace Congress, recently held in San Francisco, told President Wilson yesterday that a quasi-official meeting of neutral nations probably would be held some time before Christmas, either at The Hague, Berne or Copenhagen to attempt to bring about peace in Europe Dr. Jordan conveyed to the President a resolution from the Peace Congress, urging him to co-operate with other neutrals in calling such a conference.

In a statement laid before the President by Dr. Jordan it was declared that as a result of recent missions to the governments of the warring nations, it could be stated that, while the nations at war were not willing themselves to begin negotiations for peace, "there is nevertheless abundant evidence that those charged with the administration of the foreign policies of these nations would welcome, or at least not oppose, affirmative action by a neutral agency to bring about a peace based on international justice."

NEWS OF THE DAY

Estimates from fragmentary reports put the death list on the Italian liner Ancona at 271,.

Robbers wrecked the safe in the Columbiaville, Mich., State Bank early yesterday secured $4,000 in cash and made their escape.

Gen. Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French armies, has it is stated, been placed in supreme control of the fighting forces of the allied armies.

Winston Churchill's resignation from the British cabinet was officially announced last night. He will join the army in France, He has a commission as major in the Oxford Yeomanry.

Many persons were hurt in fighting between the German military police and Belgians following food riots, at Louviere. During a demonstration against high prices, of the police fired into the crowd. The mob then attacked the police.

Two British steamers are reported sunk. The Rhineland, of 1,501 tons gross, was one victim of the U-boats and the other was the small steel steamer Moorside, of 300 tons. All but one of the crew of the Moorside were lost.

R. H. Marshall, 70 years old, stood at the brink of the Tidal Basin in Potomac Park near a boathouse in Washington yesterday afternoon, stuck a 32-cabiber revolver into his mouth and fired a bullet into his brain from which he died.

In the fortification guarding the entrance to Manila Harbor, which it was announced at the War Department yesterday have been practically completed, navy experts declare the United States possesses the most powerfully defended port in the world

John Taylor, a negro, charged with having fired at a deputy sheriff, who was attempting to arrest another negro, was taken from jail at Aberdeen, Miss., Thursday night by a mob of masked men. His body was found yesterday swinging from a bridge.

It is learned that the Lafayette family has become impoverished by the war. Having disposed of all its available property, it is now offering for sale the well-known chateau of Gen. Marquis de Lafayette in Auvergne, France. A price of $20,000 is asked.

When Collector Zerbey went to the home of a foreigner at Summit Hill, Pa., to collect taxes he was informed by the boarding mistress that she had no money, but she proposed that he take one of her numerous children in payment. But he had five of his own, and couldn't.

Since the beginning of the war fourteen battleships and battle cruisers, all superdreadnoughts, have been added to the British fleet, as well as a large number of minor warships designed to meet the demands which have developed during the course of the great conflict.

A 10-horsepower boiler which operated Charles Stiffler's sawmill near Cross Keys, in the vicinity of Altoona Pa., exploded Thursday, killed two men and injured four others. Howard Brubaber, aged 18, Cross Keys, and William Knott, aged 42, Altoona, who were standing near the boiler, were beheaded.

The Italian government has agreed to give the entente allies sufficient support in the Balkans to assure a complete triumph there .This decision was reached at a cabinet council Thursday night. It was agreed that the Balkan situation had become urgent and that action by Italy must be taken at once.

Bishop Alpheus W. Wilson, is suffering from another attack of asthma in Rome, Ga., where he went Monday to attend the North Georgia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. The Bishop collapsed Thursday evening after delivering an address to the conference, the strain proving too much for his feebleness and his 81 years.

President Wilson yesterday took personal charge of the investigation into the charges made by Dr. Joseph Goricar, former Austrian consul, regarding the activities in this country It was indicated in official circles that the President has come to the conclusion that a supreme effort must be made to stamp out any propaganda, inspired by foreign agents, which is intended to interfere with American industries.

From injuries sustained in a 85-foot fall from a window, on the fourth floor of the Hotel Allen, at Allentown Pa., John Merion, of Ward, Delaware county. a senior in chemistry at State College, met death early Thursday. Merion was one of a party of 27 students, chaperoned by Dr. J. B Churchill, professor of industrial chemistry, on a trip of inspection to industrial plants in the Lehih Valley and New York State.

People in Germany and Austria are virtually starving and in many instances are forced to eat dead horses and refuse in order to sustain life, according to Mrs. Donselo Witowski, who has just arrived in Philadelphia. Mrs. Witowski declared that she and her sister were forced by the Austrians to dig in trenches and that they assisted the soldiers in throwing up earthworks to defend Przemysl against the Russians.

Compressed air pumped into his body by two practical jokers probably will cause the death of John Wazek, 35 years old, of Philadelphia, an employee of the Midvale Steel Works, who was taken to the Germantown Hospital with his body inflated beyond recognition, Accordin gto the physicians, virtually every organ in Wazek's body was ruptured or stretched to the breaking point. The men said by the police to be responsbile for the bruta lattack were arrested.

Seven patients suffering from cancer have been completely cured "by assisting nature's efforts," according to Dr. Robert Bell, head of the cancer research department of the Battersea, England General Hospital "We have," Dr. Bell said, "been able to demonstrate beyond doubt that the healing power of nature, if sufficiently assisted by regulating the diet regimen of patients, together with the administration of therapeutic agents, has proved in many instances quite competent, not only to overcome the disease, but to bring about complete recovery."

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LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 18th day of October, 1915.

City Council of Alexandria, which sues, etc.

vs. IN CHANCERY

The unknown heirs of Richard Johnson,

MEMO: The object of this suit is to subject the following property in the City of Alexandria, namely, Lot of Ground beginning on the North side of Queen Street, fifty six (56) feet, west of Water Street; thence west on Queen Street., eighteen (18) feet; thence north parallel with Water Street, fifty-eight (58) feet, five and one-fourth (5 1-4) inches more or less to the middle of an alley, thence east parallel with Queen Street, eighteen (18) feet; thence south fifty-eight (58) feet five and one-fourth (5 1-4) inches to the beginning; with the right of way over the said alley; to the payment of the lien of theCity Council of Alexandria thereon for taxes, and all other claims that may be due from the estate of Richard Johnson, and his sister and sole heir at law, Harriott Johnson, deceased.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, the heirs of Harriott Johnson, deceased, sole heirs at law of Richard Johnson, deceased, are unknown. It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk

Samuel G. Brent, P. Q.

At a Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 26th day of October, 1915.

Ethel Marie Soper Farran, Complainant,

vs. IN CHANCERY.

Cleve B. Farran, Defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of of this State and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing to the clerk of this court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and an order of publication having been duly granted by the clerk of this court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to t the institution of this suit and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: Washington, D. C., and also care of the Navy Department, as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

A copy teste

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IS GERMANY HUNGRY?

(Philadelphia Public Ledger)

Official denials from Germany that the recent orders regarding the food supply signify an actual scarcity are not altogether convincing. It may be merely the part of wisdom to restrict consumption rather severely. But such a course is certain to arouse discontent, and a government would hardly venture upon it were it not imperative. If, as is said, the means of subsistence for the civilian population are just as abundant as they have been for the last 14 months, why should such rigid rules be promulgated? The excuse for the Zeppelin raids on England has been that an attempt to starve Germany was being made by the blockade of the German ports; a "hunger war" the Germans call it. Since the cutting off of the enemy's supplies has always been regarded as a legitimate feature of warfare, the extremity of the bitterness against the blockade suggests that inthis case the work has been done successfully. If the British submarines have really gained that control of the Baltic which is credited to them, so that intercourse with Sweden is seriously interrupted, there might easily be somethin approaching famine among large classes of the German people. The reference to the potato reop is not re-assuring.

There is, moreover, direct evidence that the situation is more alarming than the German government would have the world believe. Why the newspapers are allowed under a strict censorship to reveal the facts so frankly is something of a mystery. But when the Frankfurter Zeitung says that "the sinister aspect of things certainly provides no food for laughter," and explains the growing hatred of England by this fact when Maximilian Harden of Zukunft, admits that the German people are in distress, all the explanations of mere providence for future needs have a hollow sound. "Can we hold out?" asks the Neue Zeitung of Strassburg. Such a question must strike a chill to a nation which has been told again and again that defeat is impossible. Of what avail is it to hold the western front, to endeavor to force a road to Constantinople, if a ring of enemies can keep all supplies out of Germany itself? It is futile to boast of military victories, to talk of Moltkeism versus Mahanism, while the great storehouses of the neutral nations are barred by the sea power of the enemy.

Since the efforts of Germany to win by a rapid stroke came to nothing, it has been plain that the war was likely to be one of endurance. It was therefore, a sound strategy to make every German advance costly in men and at the same time to sweep Germany commerce from the seas. It has been said an army marches on its belly. There are no indications so far of any failure of supplies, either food or ammunition, for the German army. But it cannot be fed while the people starve. Such a policy, if the government were inhumane enough to pursue it, would mean revolution. Unless, therefore, the cries of distress that now come from Germany are insincere, which is hardly a reasonable supposition, the country is now in a perilous condition —one that must have a great, perhaps a determining, influence upon the military situation in the near future.

In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of October, 1915.

Maude M. Tyler Johnson, Complainant,
vs. IN CHANCERY
William H. Johnson, Defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing to the Clerk of this court for a order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and an order of publication having been duly granted, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to wit: O Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

A copy teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

AT THE CHURCHES.

At Trinity Church tomorrow morning at 11 a. m. the Rev. David Hepburn, assistant superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia, will preach. Rev. L. M. Ferguson, the pastor, will deliver a sermon in the evening on an evangelistic theme.

Reception of members and the extending of the right hand of church fellowship will take place at the 11 a. m. service of the First Baptist Church tomorrow, At 7:45 p. m. the Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor, will preac preach on the subject, "Why Tarryest Thou?"

"The Three-Fold Power of the Church" will be the topic for the morning sermon of the Rev. John Lee Allison at the Second Presbyterian Church tomorrow. His evening subject will be evangelistic. Sunday School will be held at 9:30 a. m. in the Westminster Building and the Payne street chapel, the pastor's Bible class continuing the study of the book of Esther.

A cordial invitation is extended to men and boys in this city to meet with the Bible class of the Methodist Protestant Church Sunday school, the Rev. E. T. Kirkley, pastor, being the teacher. Regular services of the church will be held tomorrow, with preaching in the morning by the pastor, and an evangelistic service in the evening. At 6:45 the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting will be held and will be conducted by the pastor.

St. Mary's Church.

First mass at 6 a. m., children's mass 9, Sunday School 9:30, late mass and sermon 10:00 baptisms, 3:30, evening services and benediction 4 o'clock p. m. Mass every Sunday morning St. Rita's Chapel, 9 o'clock at Mount Ida. Mass week mornings 6:30 and 7 o'clock.

Christ Church.

Rev. William J. Morton, rector. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul's Church.

Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Grace Church.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion 7:30 a. m. Sunday School, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon 11:00. Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Second Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D., pastor. Services, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Second Baptist Church.

Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Prayer services Wednesday evenings at 7:45 o'clock.

Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Epworth League services at 7:15 p. m. Services and sermon 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Protestant Church.

Rev. Edward Kirkley, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School and Hustler's Bible Class 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. L. M. Ferguson, pastor. Sabbath School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Lutheran Church.

Rev. C. E. Brandt, pastor. Services 10:45 a. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Free Methodist Church

Rev. W. H. van Ness, pastor, Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Street meeting corner of Pitt and King streets 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m.

Three hundred thousand shares of stock, or thereabouts, in the Cambria Steel Company were bought yesterday in New York, for approximately $15,000,000 by J. Leonard Replogle, who started his business career when 11 years old as a water boy at less than $5 a week, in Cambria mills at Johnstown, Pa., Mr. Replogle, is now 38 years old, The stock was sold by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which formerly owned 450,820 shares of the 900,000 issues—a controlling interest in the Cambria company.

At a Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 27th day of October, 1915.

Elizabeth B. W. Gosnell, Complainant,
vs. IN CHANCERY
Fletcher C. Gosnell, Defendant.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made to the Clerk of the Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and an order of publication having been duly granted by the Clerk of the Court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant towit: Box 511 Bluefield, West Virginia, as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the clerk of this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

A copy teste:
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Essanay.

Flora Finch, Kate Price and Wm. Shea in
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Surprise Theater

Under Richmond Management
Six reels each performance

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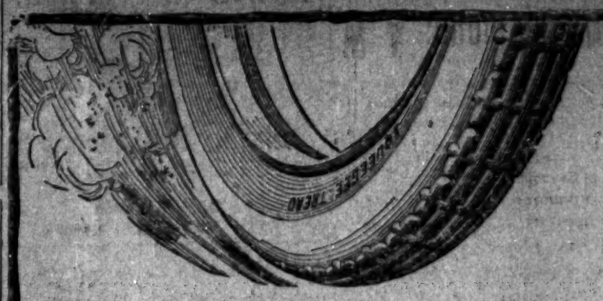

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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:37 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville, delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C. & O., No. 403 for Gordonsville & Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—DailyLocal for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop: Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville, coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4.22 p. m. daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily— Birmingham Special Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Brimingham, ham, and Augusta.. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Duling car service Tourist to California daily.

4:02 P. M. —Local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M.—Local for Warrenton.

7:17 p. m. daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Asheville.

10:02 P M.—Daily Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets reservations, etc., apply to

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40; 4 00; 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40; 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 20; 9 00; 9 30; 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 6 00, 5 40, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.

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A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30;—P. M.—12 30, 1 10, 2 30; 3 20; 4 30; 5 35; 6 40 7 35, 8 53, 10 20; 11 50.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the University Club Building Company of Washington, D. C., Incorporated, will be held on the 15th day of November 1915, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the principal office of the Company, in the state of Virginia, 119 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated the 18th day of October 1915.
RALPH P. BARNARD,
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Schedule in effect October, 31 1915

For Washington and points north daily at 7:33, 8:08, 12:01, 12:16, 12:23, 2:30 (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:27, 8:53, 11:33 p. m..

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, and 10:17 a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3.32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 9:27 a. m., daily.

NOTE—Time of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

CLASSIFIED ADS

HOME MADE cake sale benefit Anne Lee Memorial home for the aged, Saturday the 13th, inst, in the armory hall. 11-2t.

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the THOMAS J. FISHER & COMPANY, INCORPORATED, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22d 1915, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may be properly acted upon.

HAROLD E. DOYLE,
Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the WILLARDS HOTEL COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, No. 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd, 1915, at 1:45 o'clock, p. m., for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may be properly acted upon

WALTER S. HARBAN,
Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA HOTEL COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, No 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY NOVEMBER 22nd, 1915, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may be properly acted upon.

WALTER S. HARBAN,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Capitol Park Hotel Co., incorporated, will be held on the 13th day of December 1915, at 1 o'clock P. M., at the principal office of the company, in the state of Virginia, 119 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va. for the purpose of electing a board of directors and receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated the 4th day of November 1915.
EDWARD L. HILLYER
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